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MOUNT St. Mary's College Magazine is marking the College's 70th anniversary year with seven time capsules, one for each decade. These time capsules are an attempt to evoke the atmosphere of the College during each era through the recollections and in the voices of people who experienced it, especially our alumnae. Particular thanks go to Sister Mary Germaine McNeil, CSJ, for her invaluable book, *The History of Mount St. Mary's College, Los Angeles, California 1925-1975*.

Celebrating 70 Years, Moving Toward 2000

by Sister Karen M. Kennelly

We can take pride in where we have been and where we are going in this 70th anniversary year at Mount St. Mary's College. The core values that inspired MSMC's founders are very much alive in the College today — concern for community, commitment to a relationship with God, and respect for the liberal arts tradition. At the dawn of the 21st century, we continue to prepare women for participation and leadership in our society and our multicultural world.

These central values — of community, of Catholicism, and of appreciation for each individual student's potential — are evident in the recollections of our alumnae, quoted throughout these pages. Constructive change is also a constant for us. As we continue to instill in our students an appreciation of the past, we also teach them to embrace the present with all its challenges and opportunities, and anticipate the future.

I am delighted to announce an exciting new avenue for communicating many of the values that have defined our mission over the past seven decades. The Women's College Coalition, of which MSMC is a member, has been selected for an Ad Council campaign of public service announcements designed to raise awareness about educational options for young women. We expect the Ad Council campaign to reinforce the positive image of women's colleges nationwide. Stay tuned!

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We look toward our 75th anniversary in the year 2000 with plans to celebrate a larger and ever more diverse student population. Though we will still invest most of our resources in the education of women, more men will be enrolled in evening/weekend and graduate programs. The learning environment on both campuses will be enhanced by better space planning and usage, and modification of buildings and walkways to accommodate disabled students. The addition of an academic building at Doheny will enable us to house all of our associate degree health programs (associate degree in nursing, occupational therapy assistant, and physical therapist assistant) under one roof.

State-of-the-art library facilities on both campuses will be fully operational by 2000, along with new technology to augment research, teaching, and scholarship. Students at Mount St. Mary's will continue to develop the habit of life-long learning, and benefit from the tradition of values-oriented education in an intimate college community. We are grateful for the ongoing

support of the many friends and alumnae whose names appear in this report, for they have made MSMC's growth and innovation possible.

Good news from the last year includes a grant from the William and Flora Hewlett Foundation establishing the "Urban Engagement and Civic Responsibility" program. In its first few months, the program brought to our campuses more than a dozen speakers from our richly diverse Southern California community. Students have also had the opportunity to engage in Hewlett-sponsored debates on controversial issues in religion, health care, and politics.

Sister Karen M. Kennelly, tenth president of MSMC

Hewlett activities are built upon the strengths of our nationally-recognized program in women's leadership, and complement the work of MSMC "Urban Fellows" engaged in community work this past semester. The Urban Fellows operate under the aegis of Learn and Serve in Higher Education, part of President Clinton's Americorps national service program. All of these recent endeavors further support the social action curricula that have long been a hallmark of a Mount education.

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I am also delighted to report that our Center for Cultural Fluency on the Doheny campus is attracting attention among funders, and praise from the more than 100 K-12 teachers who have already made use of its resources and workshop opportunities.

Mount St. Mary's is preparing to adapt to the challenges of the next century while retaining its unique identity as a Catholic, liberal arts college for women of highly diverse cultural traditions. Government cutbacks to higher education and stark economic realities require us to revisit our mission in search of more effective ways to fulfill that mission in years to come.

A critical part of our strategic plan for the next five years will center on our first-ever comprehensive campaign for Mount St. Mary's College. In the planning stages now, the campaign will provide capital for improvements to the buildings and grounds on both campuses — including the Chalon library renovation and the new buildings at Doheny — as well as an endowment for academic program support and student financial aid programs.

We are fortunate to carry with us the collective vision of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet. Their courage and conviction, overcoming countless obstacles, built the Chalon campus in the '20s. Their spirit sustained Mount St. Mary's through uncertain times, through a World War, through the devastating Bel Air fire. Their vision, which inspired our growth in the '70s and '80s, impels us now toward the next century. Every member of the MSMC community is an essential part of that abiding vision of a college that educates women who can make a difference for our world — yesterday, today, and tomorrow.

Mount St. Mary's College
Honor Roll 1993-1994

Gifts from Alumnae

Class of 1929

Gifts: $2895
Donors: 4 - 80%
Olivia Zink Benjamin
Eugenia Zink Everett
Mary Scannell McClure
Dorothy Von der Ahe-Nigg (R.I.P)

Class of 1930

Gifts: $4,800
Donors: 3 - 75%
Florence Moyer Davis
Mary Lamb La Fleur (R.I.P.)
Helen Rumsey McCambridge

Class of 1931

Gifts: $6,270
Donors: 4 - 80%
Adelaide Buckler Burke (R.I.P)
Mathilde Pellegrin Clem
Inez De Hetre Lasich
Rose Alice Wills Smith

Class of 1932

Gifts: $425
Donors: 4 - 44%
Alice Corbeil
Helen Shubert Millet
Agnes Diener Peterson
Eileen Nason Rhyner

Class of 1933

Gifts: $325
Donors: 3 - 50%
Helena Geier Keefe
Hazel Champion Masculine
Marion Solury Scalzo

Class of 1934

Gifts: $100,665
Donors: 2 - 67%
Madeline O'Connor
Frances Wharton Von Ahnen

Class of 1935

Gifts: $800
Donors: 5 - 42%
Gertrude Long Clyne
Barbara Brown Darling
Patricia O'Connor Hickey
Kathleen Wehmeier Kieffer
Lucy Milligan Molloy

Class of 1936

Gifts: $1205
Donors: 9 - 64%
Jean Wilkins Andrews
Gertrude Boland
Catherine Mueller Cowper
Maria Geier
Margaret Mueller Kammer
Maria Mankiewicz Kociencki
Mary Learnihan LaBonge
Kathryne Hromatka Romano
Winifred Calloway Williamson

Class of 1937

Gifts: $815
Donors: 5 - 26%
Thelma Coleman Fluhr
Genevieve Faeh Fraga
Vivian Young Harwood
Margaret Donovan Kelly
Bernice Carls Lieb

Class of 1938

Gifts: $10,790
Donors: 9 - 53%
Annette Schurich Doyle
Mary Lou Hopkins Hornsby
Kathleen McGrath Kappner
Mary Zinke Kniazeff
Frances Heaney McGivern
Dorothy Miller (R.I.P.)
Betty Costello O'Donnell
Margaret Johnson Prindle
Jane Bidlake Vallely

Class of 1939

Gifts: $2880
Donors: 6 - 33%
Frances Dutra Cutler
Mary Boland Duffy
Margaret Illingworth
Elizabeth Sheridan McCall
Margaret Moran
Mary Box Schuck

Class of 1940

Gifts: $110
Donors: 3 - 33%
Mary Kay Dougherty Coony
Ozma Baum Mantele
Frances Fitz Ruhoff

Class of 1941

Gifts: $27,525
Donors: 15 - 56%
Maxine Hough Berdan
Charlotte Cerrute Bourne
Mary Pat Burns Cakos
Helen Coogan
Gwen Winkle Ellis
Esther Elder Harrington
Geraldine Tracy Jones
LaVerne Keogh King
Beatrice Ginevra Langston
Nancy Laubacher Miller
Kathryn Borchard Reardon (R.I.P.)
Margaret McConnell Rendler
Rosemary Johnson Stewart
Winifred Fallon Stewart
Peggy Matthews Weatherhead

Class of 1942

Gifts: $700
Donors: 7 - 39%
Anonymous
Virginia Sunseri Giacomelli
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Lois Hines McAuliffe
Charlotte Meyer
Lois Baumstark Sudmeier
Yvonne Wightman Whitley

Class of 1943

Gifts: $4,688
Donors: 14 - 48%
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Mary Sibilio Frary
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50th Reunion Gift

Class of 1944

Gifts: $4,165
Fiftieth Reunion Gift
Donors: 12 - 57%
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Mildred Barry Creamer
Mary Durkin Crowley
Marie Dodge Ferren
Lorraine Barker Fricke
Marguerita Geier
Alice Shannon Guizot
Patricia Logsdon
Mary Frances McKenna
Florence Pelchat Multer
Beatrice Teresi Stathatos
Mary Holt Winkler

Class of 1945

Gifts: $3,053
Donors: 8 - 36%
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Margaret Miller Edwards
Vincentia Ginevra Lesko

Julia Weber Lopker
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Margaret Thalken
Marguerite Crosby Thielen
Arabella Barnes Williams

Class of 1946

Gifts: $7,770
Donors: 16 - 48%
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Joan Cunningham
Mercedes Mahoney Doherty
Marion Hills Farrell
Patricia O'Neill Fiedler
Dorothy Grundy Littleton
Mary Irene Vujovich Ohlfs
Garland O'Rourke Parten
Rita McLoone Reilly
Mary Stehly Schaner
Catherine Johannes Sterk
Gertrude Cramer Stimson
Betty Fluor Taylor
Kathleen O'Hanlon Truxaw

Class of 1947

Gifts: $5,605
Donors: 15 - 52%
Hallie Bundy
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Muriel Rochefort Gustin
Margaret Moore Hodgson
Frances Shannon Joy
Patricia Keelan
Harriet McLoone
Corinne Falvey Mullane
Helen Connelly O'Callaghan
Lorraine Murphy Purnell
Marjorie Duggan Totoonchie
Patricia Borchard Watson

Class of 1948

Gifts: $2,455
Donors: 14 - 41%
Margaret Connelly Brady
Madeleine Seller Castle
Portia Hayes Cotter
Mary McGrath Craycroft
Doris Schiffilea Harris
Pearl Butler Henzgen
Dorothy Schmidt Knauf
Marie Aguiar Lemke
Maribeth Harvey Lillywhite
Elizabeth Peukert
Willa Dowd Schaniel
Regina DeCoursey Sinsky
Marion Tripeny
Patricia Smith Weseloh

Class of 1949

Gifts: $86,040
Donors: 12 - 27%
Patricia Riesner Armstrong
Mary Baca
Eleanor Gmeindl Boka
Madeline Pettrow Byrd
Virginia Debley
Roberta Fawcett
Arleen Brady Graff
Betty Ann Knoch
Patricia Spain Lorick
Patricia Campbell Ninnis
Doris Schuck Reichel
Mary Ann Lu Yu

Class of 1950

Gifts: $3,040
Donors: 11 - 23%
Frances Miyake Chikahisa
Joella Hardeman Gipson
Genevieve DeGrood Gorciak
Betsy Knieriem Hook
Patricia Johnson
Betty O'Brien Miller
Erika Orth Owens
Mary Clare O'Brien Pettit
Natalie Gallagher Pope
Frances Hills Sorrentino
Gloria Putman Stoica

Class of 1951

Gifts: $5660
Donors: 33 - 59%
Kathryn Ashe Armstrong
Shirley Rawley Beauxbeaux
Huguette Hery Clarizio
Corinne Cunningham
Gloria Mankiewicz Curtis
Dolores Welgoss De Grassi
Mary Ellen Gray Delagrange
Joan Russell Doonan
Evelyn Kraemer Francuz
Claire Kassler Gaffney
Frances Formaneck Gagliardi
Susan Robertson Gerard
Eloise Martinez Helwig
Mary Janney Iannucci
Angela McDonald Kay
Joyce Gisler Kelly
Mary Lou Jandro Kimmel
Joyce Devine Lendl
Barbara Terpening McGourty
Geraldine Biggs McGrath
Jane Donnelly Melanson
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Mary Hoxmeier Murray
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Margaret Delavigne Porter
Arlene Russie Rees
Genevieve Weeger Smurda
Rose Marie Bachand Thomas
Rita Ries Veatch
Phyllis Tukich Wenner
Anne Wong Yee
Kathleen O'Rourke Yuhl
Jacqueline Stetler Zent

Class of 1952

Gifts: $4,813
Donors: 18 - 40%
Lea O'Donnell Adza
Vivian Burgess
Barbara Hartman Caraccio
Beverly Halpin Carrigan
Bebette Gualano Coleman
Joanna Stefanos Drugas
Eileen Micklish Hempfling
Joan Murphy Maechling
Mary Logan McManus
Elaine Moore
Grace Bohanon Noyes
Marion Meyer Power
Toni Tortorici Quesada
Rita Blecksmith Ryan
Joan Shaw Salkeld
Maureen Boylan Scherzberg
Carol Moore Trudelle
Margaret Whitney

Class of 1953

Gifts: $5,130
Donors: 46 - 67%
Diana D'Alfonso Azevedo
Sheila Sullivan Banken
Charlotte Rohe Bell
Therese Martin Blunt
Rebecca Bohanon (R.I.P.)
Maria Martinez Bolster
Barbara Breen
Catherine Scully Brennels
Mary Greer Browning
Nancy Newell Cain
Eleanor Leavell Carter
Betty Dunnigan Chiaverotti
Mary Gertrude Creutz
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Iowana Phillips Del Olmo
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Mary Pat Donohue
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Doris Ouellet Dunn
Loretta Fanning
Jean Walsh Frick
Marilyn Munton Gutierrez
Mary Zalesny Hawkins
Gretel Dietzel Hines
Barbara Scherrer Holland
Velma Salmen Horvath
Doris Higgins Kinsella
Portia Spencler Loughman
Ana Maria Cota MacFarland
Mary Meichelbock
Dorothy Roberts Miller
Mary Doyle Modjeski
Claire Fitzgerald Molnar
Pat Beckom Nellany
Lillian Pereyra

The class of 1944 gathers to catch up on the last half-century. L to R, seated: Mildred Barry Creamer, Beatrice Teresi Stathatas, Patricia Lagsdan. Standing, Apalla and Alice Shannan Guizat, Patricia Rahe Beemer and Paul Beemer, Larraine Barker Fricke, Sister Mary Louise Callette, Mary Frances McKenna. (Photography by Edmund J. Creamer, aka Mildred's husband.)

Patricia Pierce
Barbara Kalthoff Raymond
Betty Cain Reddick
Patricia Bollig Seymour
Kathleen Crane Thiele
Margaret McInnis Verge
Nellie Beridon Walker
Lilias Burden Wunderlich
Mary Weidinger Young

Class of 1954

Gifts: $4,163
Donors: 30 - 50%
Patricia Carroll Absey
Joyce Mazzarelli Anderson
Ella Bunyard Barber
June Swithen Beebe
Gloria Francis Bowen
Joella Allen Broadway
Joyce Markel Brown
Mary Jo Silva Brown
Celeste Gourdeau French
Barbara Bashe Gaudino
Georga Grupe
Patricia Quinn Hart
Ruth Lackey Heath
Milania Austin Henley
Ann Freese Holland
Joann Vosika Hudak
Barbara Walsh Hughes
Claudette Drennan Kane
Mary Ross Kasimatis
Elise Kerckhoff
Anita McGowan Kirkpatrick
Anne Park Kraemer
Mary Crosby Novo Gradac
Jean Call Plinck
Rosemary Czuleger Rea
Peggyann Campbell Reed
Kathleen Ford Salkeld
Mary Storm Sprug
Barbara Dobrott Stapleford
Justine Weiher

Class of 1955

Gifts: $3,090
Donors: 21 - 36%
Georgia Maloney Belardi
Barbara Cabot Connolly
Mary Ann O'Connell Connolly
Rosemary Heffron Dorazio
Sue Colburn Erickson
Lydia Alvidrez Falce
Patricia Sanders Fontes
Rosemary Brunet Giacomi
Rosemary Condon Gray
Carlina Smith Griffiths-Orr
Nancy Galt Haynoski
Margaret Cosgrave King
Mary Penty Lee
Dolores Perez Medrano
Jeanne Lautier Monaghan
Lorraine Gibbons Morabito
Jude Longshore Nichols
Eileen O'Loughlin Pinza
Kathleen McGlincy Rezzonico
Helene Hopp Schnorr
Carol Atchison Steffes

Class of 1956

Gifts: $5,897
Donors: 30 - 39%
Peggy Coates Amante
Teresa Moreno Apablasa
Barbara Book Baxter
Bee-Beatrice Benko
Sally Heenan Bernard
Pamela Brink
Joan Green Calder
Lucy Cohen
Margaret Munnemann Cohen
Mary Brusstar De Donato
Mary Dolan-Lonergan
Elana Haidinger Donovan
Marie St. Pierre Finnegan
Joan Schneider French
Joan Carey Garvin
Clare Heumphreus Handcock
Trudy Diggins Hayes
Helen Lackey Kerr
Rosemary Lucente
Nora Higgins Masterson
Cornelia Hubert Protzner
Julie Ambersley Puth
Jacqueline Picard Rall
Alison MacDonald Riggs
Carol Weldy Spalluto
Anne Stevenson
Jane Marshall Talso
Barbara Lee Upson
Pat Smith Walker
Beverly Gueno Watkins

Class of 1957

Gifts: $21,222
Donors: 42 - 43%
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Jennie Bejnar
Jean Schnieders Brunelli
Mary Hayes Butler
Theresa Binckley Byrne
Shirley Morningstar Capps
Cecilia Castellanos
Emma Apodaca Cervantes
Susan O'Loughlin Coughlin
Susan Crowe
Sally Scott Crowley
JoAnn Smith Cunningham
Gloria Maraccini Di Censo
Mary Park Enos
Maria Silva Erickson
Nancy Mack Gallivan
Mary Brow Gowey
Katherine Bondan Gross
Jonelle Gagel Haraksin
Nora Martin Hepp
Connie Bianchi Kelsey
Marilyn Laubach Kennedy
Mary Ann Bauerlein Kraemer
Barbara Darling Mancuso
Myrna Finn Maney
Mary Ann Odell McEveety
Carole Breen Meylan
Sheila Kelly Muller
Geraldine Roberts Nelson
Louise Lussier Neuroth
Helen Morearty Primising
Janet Horejsi Prukop
Annette Orland Shannon-Batinovich
Sally Brunsman Simoneau
Jacqueline Kuras Smith
Jackie Bigelow Stevens
Sheila Thornton
Elizabeth Trowbridge
Kathleen Flynn Vernon
Lois McGovern Walker
Norma Hopkins Wallace
Pat Talmon Williamson

Class of 1958

Gifts: $5,215
Donors: 38 - 42%
Beverly Brace Akiona
Yvonne Zornes Amos
Barbara Goldsmith Aquino
Barbara Studer Collins
Margaret Darmody
Karen Brow De George
Fae Falvo De Stefano
Margaret Cramer Franco
Melinda Franco
Nancy Hevner Fuller-Sachs
Dorothy Richardson Gansel
Carol Doyle Gibson
Mary Schott Griley
Ellen Welch Grimmett
Joan Henn
Margaret Sprigg Horst
Sharon Fay Koch
Sandy Freiberg Lehberg
Annette LaBerge MacDonald
Theresa Mangold
Paula Walsh Marsden
Maria Alicia Martinez
Theresa Colarossi Martter
Carron Vincent Maxwell
Jo Ann Powers Medica
Margaret Ward Montante
Evelyn Villa O'Brien
Mary Pat McClurg Paddock
Linda McCarthy Remley
Jo Bondan Roche
Mary Ann Gariffo Sadler
Dolores Schock
Ann Fabian Stoffel
Sylvia Norwood Taylor
Josette Temple
Mary Lynch Tschirhart
Marilyn Walters
Marie Zeuthen

Class of 1959

Gifts: $2,765
Donors: 21 - 22%
Anonymous
Dolores Perea Caldwell
Elizabeth Austin Carlin
Gloria Travaglini Chess
Mary Hogan Dunsford
Gail Esker
Patricia Mears Fine
Aurora Morett Funk-Weir
Sally Fanning Hanton
Kathleen Halloran Koziolek
Margaret Leary
Elizabeth Matz Link
Rosemary Orsini Link
Deanna Maraccini McCauley
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Mary Rose Pasic
Claire Roach
Elsita Pineda-Adames Smith
Mary Lou LeMaster Thomsen
Colleen Steele Treinen
Ann Riordan Westphal

Class of 1960

Gifts: $2,135
Donors: 26 - 38%
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Donna May Avery
Dora Szabo Badzey
Linda Ruby Bolstad
Billie Lynn Tucker Brown
Kathleen Feeley Cahill
Charlotte Carrari
Priscilla Engle Carroll
Joanna Arlotti Charleton
Julie Wilson Cole
Patricia Mooney Crowley
Beverly McClure Dougherty
Mary Connolly Fugate
Patricia Gornick Gramm
Rosemary Byrnes Hegenbart
Mary Louise Kolbert Hoffman
Maryvon Lauman Kraetsch
Yolanda Ponce Landis
Sue Ekberg Laszloffy
Barbara Bernard McBride
Marilyn Brassor Nagel
Marilyn Jamison Pappas
Helene Hudson Powers
Judith Weber Roughton
Jo Ann Holbery Sayre
Dolores Schiffert
Joan Viery

Class of 1961

Gifts: $1,550
Donors: 18 - 20%
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Phyllis Lieb Ambrose
MaryAnn Bonino
Linda Feinberg Callon
Mary Walsh Friesen
Charlotte Atchley Gillen
Diane Souva Haggerty
Mary Jane Zinkhon Koelzer
Kathryn Schott Lewicki
Mary Weber Lightfoot
Margaret Murphy
Mary Collins Pizzorno
Carol Hein Rome
Paul Salamunovich
Joan Hamill Trafecanty
Joyce Smith Valle
Diane Weston Wagner
Sharon Lisle Writer

Class of 1962

Gifts: $2,870
Donors: 23 - 23%
Janice Smith Brandmeyer
Betsy Beaver Burnett
Margaret Cleary Busher

The Founding Decade 1925 – 1935

Established in the "Roaring Twenties" by founders with intelligence, energy, vision, and faith, the fledgling College was soon tested by the economic and social upheaval of the Great Depression.

"The women who started the College were absolutely brilliant, and they weren't afraid to get their hands dirty. They did everything from teaching the classes to moving the furniture and doing the laundry."

— Helen Rumsey McCambridge '30

"The Site" at the summit. Brady Hall rises from the top of the hill.

When the Sisters moved into Brady Hall on Easter Sunday, 1931, some of the construction was not yet complete. The front steps had not been poured, so people entered and left the building on a plank. Sister Gertrude Joseph recalls that the refectory tables were undelivered. "The Sisters took some of their earliest meals perched on laboratory stools grouped around the dishwasher. . . The telephone was temporarily located on a nail barrel in front of Brady Hall, so that each time the phone rang, somebody ran down the plank to answer it."

—The History of Mount St. Mary's College 1925-1975

"I was one of the few students with a car, and the Sisters were always asking me to take them up to what they called 'the site.' The upholstery on the front seat was a little dilapidated, and one time a Sister got her rosary caught in the springs and we couldn't get her unhooked . . . I remember driving up on a beautiful day in 1929, and we sat on some lumber and had a picnic. There was nothing up there but a big hole, and some sawdust. If my car stalled going up the hill, we'd get out and push. Going down, I'd just turn the motor off and slide, kicking up dust all the way to Sunset."

— Rose Alice Wills Smith '31

"Father Joseph Vaughan, S.J., a beloved member of the College faculty, celebrated Mass for the boarders. As he drove up Bundy, he would honk the horn continually to wake up late sleepers so they would be on time for Mass. . . During the Depression, times were hard, but everyone helped each other. The nuns were constantly looking for ways to help students earn tuition money. I worked as a reader for Sister Marie de Lourdes' English class."

— Gertrude Boland '36

Did You Know?

Tuition was $75 per year and room and board was $250 during the late '20s and early '30s.

First uniforms were tan tweed jackets and skirts, which gave place to navy blue dresses with white collar and cuffs.

The class of 1930 started the College's first big/little sister program.

Linda Lee Butcher
Janice Pemberton Ciesla
Violet Craemer Devoe
Maryann Dobbs
Celeste Hendrick Farnsworth
Barbara Gamba
Lynda Schauppner Grundhofer
Margie Jones Hillious
Helen Kirk
Margaret Senese Lechtman
Mary Lou Wehan Lester
Mary Erschoen Morris
Jean Moynier
Valerie Werner Platt
Mary Caratan Sloper
Elizabeth McCready Stark
Joan Kendall Tornay
Marie Treacy
Patricia Diltz Wallace
Yvonne Priscu Zellmer

Class of 1963

Gifts: $2,360
Donors: 25 - 24%
Diane Giacoma Adams
Joan Brosovic
Barbara Buckman
Kathleen Arn Checchi
Marian Menges Crowe
Kathleen Earnhart
Carolyn Dennis Horeczko
Karyl Donovan Iannone
Joan Kays
Renate Kerris
Luanne Vonder Kuhlen
Bernice Fijak Lynch-Bajada
Mary Harris Moffatt
Carole Cook Molony
Leanne Peters
Hiroko Shimooka Plummer
Collette Boland Quinn
Gerri Okamura Radman
Jeanne Redell Ruiz
Kathleen Murphy Scott
Nance Slattery
Janet Hebert Smith
Regina Stoner Smith
Katherine Schreuder Whitman
Sheila Sausse Xitco

Class of 1964

Gifts: $4,200
Donors: 38 - 29%
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Judith Atkins Baker
Linda Bizzelle
Kathie Heinecke Bozarth
Barbara Ledesma Brown
Arlene Wolff Burton
Diane Clarke
Ellen Kotrba Cline
Susan Kolp Curtis
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Mary Lindsay
Joan Huesman Madden
Danette Hoffman Magilligan
Martha Sprigg Martin
Eileen Miller
Julie Psomas Mullen
Kathleen Leahy Payne
Patricia Milke Poindexter
Kathleen Earl Principe
Gail Fiedler Romansky
Mary Leahy Starr
Jeanette Kroger Steiner
Mary Alice Alston Stevenson
Marianne Portl Turner
Sally Frank Wallace
Sandra Rogers Woehl

Class of 1965

Gifts: $6,351
Donors: 39 - 26%
Eileen Murphy Bigelow
Carrie Skirlick Blackaller
Nancy Chappell Borchard
Stephanie Simon Branon
Dorothy Niemann Ceballos
Mary Crawford Coluzzi
Kumiko Kazahaya Cross
Carolyn Crowe
Diane De Anda
Patricia Chapman De La Torre
Barbara Beesley Dietterle
Florence Frary Evans
Margaret Hudnall Friedrich
Lawreen Crain Gallagher
Suzanne Kowalewsky Gruna
Madeline Drnek Hamilton
Mary Nolan Howell
Elna Hlavaty Humphrey
Therese Holleran Jacobson
Carol Dalton Jahn
Roberta Duffield Kordich
Vivien Lo Pizzo
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Dorothy Marron
Sharon Moyer Martin
Margaret Matta Naluai
Colleen Durant O'Shaughnessy
Carole Rounds Peccorini
Ann Kilgore Reay
Cris Ceretto Roche
Esther Ramirez Salazar
Leigh Albizati Segel
Mary Ann Stocker Shaw
Sheila Le Blanc Steers
Virginia Chris Stevens
Margaret Bush Supple
Pearl Koh Tao
Nancy Sullivan Taylor
Vicki Young

Class of 1966

Gifts: $2,130
Donors: 32 - 24%
Betsy Dickerson Azariah
Tina Von der Ahe Brown
Teresa Werner Broyles
Catherine Bruno
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Class of 1967

Gifts: $3,675
Donors: 36 - 27%
Paulette Marshall Barry
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Class of 1968

Gifts: $1,805
Donors: 27 - 20%
Donna Bernard
Kathryn Wood Carner
Annemarie Clark
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Anne Seaman Curtin
Marie Driever
Teresa Estrada Mullaney
Yvonne Burdo Everson
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Marie Van Blaricom Maitrepierre
Moreen Rogan McGurk
Christine Klick Newman
Mary Arneson Odell
Eva Vukovich Pihlgren
Patricia Ponczocha
Mary Ellen Hammond Villar
Alice Wunderlich Wheatley

Class of 1969

Gifts: $5,355
Donors: 42 - 27%
Jeanne Burnham Black
Kathleen Feran Broder
Adele Vezeau Burbridge
Shelley Cavanaugh Calde
Elaine Camuti
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Barbara Kingman Chesney
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Kathleen Davison
Patricia Desmarais
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Do you know someone who could benefit from a Mount St. Mary's College education? Please give her this card to fill out.

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Class of 1970

Gifts: $1,570
Donors: 21 - 18%
Barbara Jones Barenfeld
Sue Keeler Beltran
Shelia Cantwell
Joan Wright De Freece
Teresa Dunbar
Yvonne Cassady Gabor
Mary Ellen Gormican
Mary Lillig Koenig
Carol Laderer
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Linda Gibb McCann
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Gifts: $3,750
Donors: 14 - 16%
Ellen Korte Buehler
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Helen Antczak Sanchez
Diane Morgan West

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Gifts: $790
Donors: 10 - 10%
Susan Bingham
Michele Dunne
Myriam Perdices Easton
Carol Gibson
Karen Silva Hillman
Doris Getzinger Holmes
Joan Machingo Hutter
Deborah Lasseter
Joyce Jones Savage
Kathleen Smith Smith

Class of 1973

Gifts: $620
Donors: 16 - 15%
Elizabeth Cavallero Ames
Beverly Bonzon
Mary Breden
Susan Levesque Eden
Patricia Fairbanks Gonzalez
Frances Gordon Goodman
Joanne Griffo-Svarda
Evelyn Pizano Hannigan
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Vickie Neuvert Peters
Marian Mizwin Quitiquit
Regina Shermer Reed
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Christine Poettgen Thompson
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Gifts: $1,305
Donors: 21 - 14%
Shirley Dixon Bell
Theresa Marrinan Bentley
Kristine Klumph Bounds
Barbara Kanne Carnahan
Mary Green Collins
Ann Donovan Fisher
Joan Foor
Paul Gibson II
Rene Potter Hale
Patricia Price Hardman
Shirley Belleville Kenworthy
Sally Frick McLeish
Pauline Perry Moskowitz
Wendy Jones Murphy
Margaret Poucher Romano
Cynthia Dias Selassie
Betty Ford Smith
Molly Bannan Sones
Paula Newsom Stanfield
Nancy Cooper Stringer
Cristina Yi

Class of 1975

Gifts: $3,420
Donors: 21 - 14%
Linda West Abrams
Francine Aguilar-Meadors
Margaret Antczak
Nancy Aiko Arnold
Janice Knoop Burrows
Marie Fiorillo
Judith Fitzpatrick
Alice Gardello
Michelle Gergen
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Dorothy Vessa
Patti Widdicombe
Bette Payson Worth
Kathleen Becherer Zacharski

Class of 1976

Gifts: $530
Donors: 8 - 7%
Dorothy Caruso-Herman
Nancy Izzo Cecconi
Connie Havick Crawford
Judith Lubin Froelich-Rao
Juanita Gomez
Michelle Moran
Marie Chalifour Pollak
Kathleen Snider

Class of 1977

Gifts: $4,284
Donors: 27 - 20%
Anonymous
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Michele Robinson Cosgrove
Suzanne Cote-Egusa
Edna Dodson Dixon
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Beverly Sandobal
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Lisa Vukalcic
Liza Pighin Wallace
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Class of 1978

Gifts: $2,805
Donors: 20 - 11%
Linda Peich Broyles
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Catherine Castaneda Gomez
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Kathy Beritich Hawthorne
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Donors: 45 - 27%
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Katherine Lemke Andrews
Alicia Andujo
Cynthia Barnes
Denise Coulson Barton
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Regina Cabrera Bravo
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Judith Will Taylor
Lucinda Tietze
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Gifts: $1,010
Donors: 22 - 11%
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Nancy Duncan Blake
Suzanne Cannata
Anita Comeau
Lynn Baker Connelly
Rene Gonsalves Curtis
Georgi Leest Garnevicus
Patricia Headley
Gina Poli Hsiung
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Melba Jones
Irmalee Jordan
Gloria Stoner Lurie
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Sandra Lozano Samples
Barbara Mickens Washington
Katie Keller Wolter

Class of 1981

Gifts: $1,020
Donors: 25 - 12%
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Linda Carlson Baker
Carol Fisk Bennett
Judy Boster-Mark
Melissa Hayes Brennan
Suzette Low Buchanan
Barbara Kucia Condrey
Therese Feess Courson
Charlene Denova
Robert Feller, Jr.
Christine Capra Fitzsimons
Cynthia Eagle Lamberti
Sandra Steele Lentz
JoAnna Visosky McGeoghegan
Tamara Minkoff
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Pamela Rampick
Kathleen Ziglinski Shechet
Bernadette Biondo Solberg
Angela Patin Stern
Louise Heath Stivers
Julie Taguchi
Deborah Pisano Tometz
Catherine Anspach Whittington

Class of 1982

Gifts: $1,475
Donors: 21 - 9%
Pamela Parsons Brannon
Mia Quon Card
Kathleen Sheedy Carrano
Catherine Christel
Rebecca Odell Clough
Lorraine Bragg Daskal
Lisa Wells DeHaas
Belinda Chelette Deslonde
Jane Dong-Yu
Joan Weber Galvin
Dawna Percer Hendel
Paula Peters Lewis
Darlene Ridill Marada
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Marilyn Le Donne Mennig
Irene Oliva
Benjamin Peirce
Eroston Price
Janice Hasegawa Verdin
Julie Wallof
Carolyn Akiyama Yamashiro

Class of 1983

Gifts: $1,495
Donors: 22 - 10%
Cynthia Roberts Albrecht
Mildred Altfeld
Janine Blocher
Donna Booker-Dennis
Mary Castagnola Carolla
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Rebecca Lind Roberts
Teresa Rodriguez-Yip
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Class of 1984

Gifts: $1,140
Donors: 27 - 12%
Tambara Franco Belzl
Mary Allen Bevins
Jo Ann Schlick Bonot
Cristen Breaux
Barbara Heim Bridge
Jean Streuber Bushnell
Rene Turner Chock
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Deanne Martin Turner
Sandra Dominguez Verhagen
Shelli Weekes-Andrews
Mary Bortle Wilson

Class of 1985

Gifts: $695
Donors: 8 - 5%
Anonymous
Patricia Cribbs
Bertha Salazar Herrera
Christina Jurado
Carla Ruiz Kazimir
Ali Farris Manzo
Colleen McDonald
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Class of 1986

Gifts: $3,713
Donors: 15 - 6%
Shirley Brown
Joan Davis Coapman
Elizabeth Logan Cook
Therese Cowen
Marianne Doran
Rose Mary Garrone
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Dorinda Hewit
Janet Hunt Kohl
Linda Macera-Ransom
Gail Ordway Martz
Yoko Masukawa
Marisela Bolivar Reyes
Linda Ringer
Elaine Walsh

Class of 1987

Gifts: $625
Donors: 15 - 8%
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Cindy Charleton
Lisa Garcia
Stacey Marchus Hickman
Janet Simbala Hildebrand
Linda Hood
Josie Lewis
Sheila R. Lipshutz
Karen McKnight-Compton
Sandra Calderon Pena
Christina Longo Porter
Claudia Ruiz
Karen Tancredy Sandri
Irene Kusubov Saschin
Sarah Romano Warner

Class of 1988

Gifts: $565
Donors: 14 - 5%
Bernadette Barrett
Jaime Reiter Collins
Suzan Danger
Emma Hernandez Elizarraraz
Catherine Emley
Mary Fournier
Dianna Fowler
Lynda Metcalf Gilderman
Denise Goosby
Sharon Heinsius
Faith Yamamoto Ichida
Leticia Gonzalez Kouchak-Eftekhar
Jeanne Soukup
Wende Wawerchak

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Gifts: $840
Donors: 20 - 9%
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Mary Hogan
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Susan Singh
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Jennifer Payad Wright

Class of 1990

Gifts: $1,075
Donors: 15 - 6%
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Rebecca Bridges
Patricia Sandri Brown
Lilia Castellanos
Leslie Cunningham
Carol Desmond-Donohue
Margaret Gross
Aileen Kern Harbeck
Christina Kaighan
Teresa Loughlin
Dianne Novak
Susan Shields
Kathryn Steritz
Maria Valmidiano
Barbara Zajac

Class of 1991

Gifts: $1,017
Donors: 22 - 9%
Lucky Altman
Maria Avila
Maria Barboza
Christianne Nyberg Bishop
Marta Blum
Jill Crevier
Elena Dealist
Christine Morrison Farwell
Danielle Fischer
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Gloria Grover
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Joo-Yeon Kim
Susan Konzal
Karen McCormick
Jane Morgan
Nancy Murphy
Tracy Oatis
Ann Sweeny Reynolds
Gloria Trosch
Ruby Tsang
Kari Wolfe

Class of 1992

Gifts: $4,366
Donors: 12 - 4%
Ruth Ackroyd
Rosie Anguiano
Karen Robinson Ariegwe
Jennifer Bright
Rhena Suva Carusillo
Tonya Floyd
Lucy Ford
Sonia Gomez
Ruth Potts
Karla Robleto
Juliet Tardy
Ann-Marie White Medeiros

Class of 1993

Gifts: $140
Donors: 4 - 2%
Serena Boriboun
Jennifer Kurihara
Michelle Serrano
Patricia Takaki

The War Years 1935 – 1945

THE WORLD was moving toward war. Mount St. Mary's College experienced a surge of growth as Mary Chapel and Rossiter Hall were built; in 1940, when both buildings were dedicated, the student body numbered 185. With the coming of war, life on campus changed dramatically.

"We called ourselves 'The Chicks of '46.' Because of rationing during the war, day students did not have enough gasoline to get to campus. The College had two buses, which were sent around to pick them up. We resident students also experienced rationing. In addition to having the traditional Catholic meatless Fridays, we also had meatless Tuesdays. That was my first introduction to eggplant, which was about the texture of combat boots. Fortunately, we would have tea and sandwiches every afternoon at 4:00 p.m. At night after supervised study from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m., a bell would ring and we would come downstairs for chocolate malts before bed. Everyone gained weight."

— Margaret Thalken '45

Prom time finds Mounties arm-in-arm with American servicemen.

"In case of air attack, the student body was divided into various organizations and committees, each with its specific responsibility. The Air Raid Committee organized an efficient fire squad under the co-chairmanship of a resident student and a day student. Thorough training was given by the Los Angeles Fire Department, especially in the handling of incendiary bombs. Trained units were appointed as messengers and officers, and the members manned the sand stations equipped to fight bomb fires on every floor of the buildings."

— The History of Mount St. Mary's College 1925 – 1975

"Some of the neighbors became hysterical [about the possibility of air attacks], and one woman phoned, 'I just love your chapel, but would you mind painting it black?'"

— Sister Dolorosa Mannix, CSJ, in *The History of Mount St. Mary's College*

Did You Know?

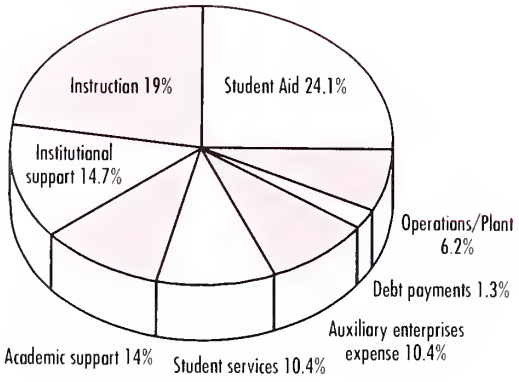
Dorothy Day, editor of *The Catholic Worker*, lectured at the College in 1937.

Stained glass windows were added to Mary Chapel in 1944. One window cost $425.

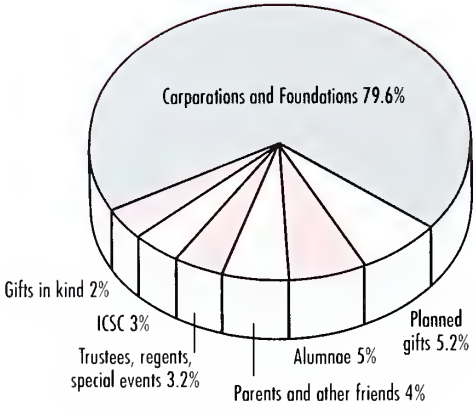
The first edition of the student newspaper *The View* was published on April 3, 1945.

Financial and Gift Summaries

Expenditures/Current Fund Fiscal Year 1993-94



Sources of Gifts and Grants Fiscal Year 1993-94



Income and Expenditures

Educational and general income (in thousands):

	1993-94	1992-93
Tuition and fees	$17,187	13,397
Government grants	942	1,086
Private gifts & grants	1,304	1,379
Contributed services (Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet)	373	535
Other	945	876
Student aid income:		
Federal government	1,193	1,171
Private scholarship funds	697	688
Endowed scholarship funds	927	766
Auxiliary enterprises revenue	2,759	2,465
Interfund transfers	<1,728>	<1,069>
Total current fund revenue	**$24,599**	**$21,294**

Educational and general expenditures (in thousands):

Instruction and department research	$4,609	$4,328
Academic support	3,434	3,166
Student services	2,557	2,262
Institutional support	3,629	3,246
Plant operation and maintenance	1,524	1,427
Student aid expenditures	5,927	4,568
Auxiliary enterprises expense	2,551	2,135
Debt payments (principal and interest)	368	162
Total current fund expenditures	**$24,599**	**$21,294**

Gifts and Grants Summary

Private gifts

Alumnae (excluding planned gifts)	$263,729	$210,955
Corporations and foundations	4,367,111	3,104,769
Parents and other friends	202,508	193,029
Trustees and regents	104,150	148,395
Special events	71,225	78,820
Independent Colleges of Southern California	181,323	180,595
Planned gifts*	288,214	118,937
Gifts in kind	10,288	79,206
Total private gifts	**$5,488,548**	**$4,114,706**

*Includes planned gifts from all sources.

Government Grants Allocated for Mount St. Mary's College

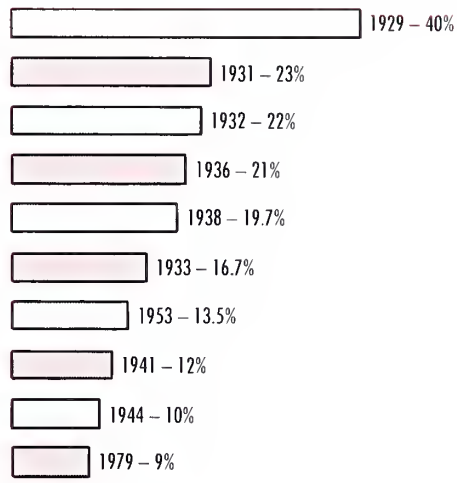
	1993-94	1992-93
Title III Institutional Aid (U.S. Department of Education)	$312,279	$255,221
Grants for Da Camera Society	51,192	55,570
National Institutes of Health (Minority Biomedical Research Support)	12,265	187,057
(Minority Access to Research Careers)	165,980	185,554
Grants for Child Development Center, Doheny Campus (California Department of Education)	228,496	230,306
Title IV Institutional Aid (U.S. Department of Education)	166,402	163,730
National Science Foundation (Computer Instruction Assistance)	—	14,503
EPIC Youth Employment and Training	8,500	22,390
Total government grants to College	**$945,114**	**$1,114,331**

Alumnae Gift Summary

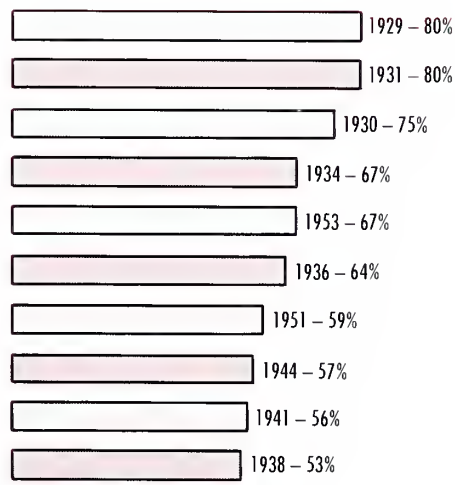
Alumnae fund drive	$150,276	$122,439
Special events	28,033	4,868
Alumnae special gifts	112,201	88,516
Alumnae planned gifts	114,173	27,403
Gifts in kind	0	72
Total alumnae gifts	**404,683**	**$243,298**
Total alumnae fund drive contributors	**1,208**	**1,388**
Percentage of participation	18%	21%
Largest donation	$100,000	$20,000
Total matching gifts	**$114,957**	**$45,212**

Alumnae Fund Drive Participation

Classes with the highest percentage of increase over last year.



Classes with the highest percentage of participation in FY '93-'94.



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■ President's Club $100,000+
• Chancellor's Circle $50,000+
† Purple & Gold Circle $25,000+
* Lifetime Members $15,000+
* Sponsored Member

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Oscar and Mary Thomsen
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Jeffrey and Katherine Whitman
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Stephanie Little '83 addresses a group of MSMC students at the February career panel sponsored by the African American Council of Women (AACW). Little is currently a financial services representative at First Interstate Bank.

In the spotlight at the AACW career panel are, L to R: Stephanie Little '83, Diana Leonard Hauptman '68, Sonya Jimmons '89, Tracy Oatis '91 and Sandra Deas '93.

The Growing Years 1945 – 1955

WITH THE conclusion of the war, the country was poised for a period of prosperity and sustained growth — and so was the College. Construction of the library began in 1946, when the enrollment numbered 504. When the decade ended, there was a new graduate program and a total of 698 students.

"We were still wearing uniforms — navy blue skirts and white blouses. We thought restrictions had loosened up a lot because we could wear cardigan sweaters of any color! When we were feeling daring, we would drive down to the turn off from Chalon and smoke cigarettes with the car windows open or wrap historical novels in brown paper to read instead of prayer books at retreat."

— Kathleen O'Rourke Yuhl '51

MSMC students aim high at archery practice.

"I was in the first class of nursing students. At our first departmental meeting, Sister Rebecca Doan handed me a slip of paper with an 'E' on it. I looked up at the blackboard, and there, under a large 'E' was my class schedule — my life for four years — spelled out in complete detail."

— Barbara Scherrer Holland '53

"I moved off campus my senior year and got a job working nightly as a waitress at a cafe in Westwood, since I needed tuition money. I was also taking 22 units so I could graduate with a double major in English and sociology. Was I in over my head! In desperation, I went to see Sister Rose de Lima. She moved me into the dormitory in mid-semester and got me a $200 loan. Thanks to the caring of the Sisters, I was able to graduate."

— Milania Austin Henley '54

Did You Know?

The bottom floor of the library was originally a social hall containing a 160-foot dance floor of polished maple with an orchestra pit, cloakroom, and kitchenette.

In 1951, Mount St. Mary's College sent its first delegation to the Model United Nations Assembly in the West, held at Stanford. Eight students represented the country of Chile.

Mount St. Mary's had a culturally diverse student population even in 1954. Thirty-two international students represented Austria, Costa Rica, Germany, Guam, Hawaii (then a U.S. territory), Ireland, Japan, Mexico, the Philippines, Poland, and Yugoslavia.

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Mid-Century
1955 – 1965

THE LAUNCHING of Sputnik in 1957 brought the Cold War into the classroom, where improving education became a patriotic duty. Despite the devastation of the 1961 Bel Air fire, Mount St. Mary's College continued to thrive: enrolling more students, building new classrooms, and inaugurating associate degree programs on the Doheny campus.

"It was a simpler time. Of course, there were pranks, but they were not malicious. One morning we got up to find a dead seal at the front door of Brady Hall, and another time we found a one-story tall plywood rabbit standing in the circle."

— Sister Catherine Therese Knoop, CSJ

"We still had curfews. On weekdays, seniors had to be in by 8:00 p.m. On Saturdays and Sundays, we could stay out until 1:00 a.m., as long as we didn't have three demerits. We got a demerit every time our beds weren't made by 10:00 a.m. As a nursing student, I had to rush out very early every morning. Consequently, I spent a lot of weekends on campus."

— Nancy Sullivan Taylor '65

Girl talk in the dorms, with beds dutifully made.

"Sister Rebecca and I drove down to the Doheny campus on the first day of registration for the associate program. We were expecting about 25 students to enroll. When we got to campus, the line extended out the gate, around the corner, and down Figueroa past St. Vincent's Church! Two hundred and twenty full-time students enrolled."

— Sister Eloise Thérèse Mescall, CSJ, First Director of the Associate Program

Did You Know?

In 1956-57 the faculty of 77 people included 40 Sisters, 28 lay members and nine priests. In 1957-58 a professor earned between $6,000 and $8,000.

Sister Dolorine Salomon, CSJ, was in charge of the kitchen until 1961, doing all the cooking without recipes. Students were served family style until this time, when a cafeteria line was added.

Among the College's many benefactors after the Bel Air fire were the second graders of St. Patrick's Elementary School in Los Angeles, who sent the Sisters a supply of stockings, and the eighth graders at Santa Clara School in Oxnard, who held a candy sale to raise $100 for the College.

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Changing Times 1965 – 1975

THE COLLEGE navigated carefully through a decade marked by the social, political, and religious changes of the Second Vatican Council, the civil rights movement, and the political turmoil of the Vietnam War.

"During my year as student body president, the student board decided that the College needed more visibility. Signs on the freeway marked the exit for UCLA, but not for Mount St. Mary's. We worked with Councilman Marvin Braude and the Department of Transportation to get a sign identifying where the College was."

— Janet Wolff Maulhardt '69

Nursing students catch up between classes and clinicals.

"In the spirit of religious renewal inspired by the Second Vatican Council, many of the Sisters made personal decisions to change to contemporary habits, as I did on my 25th Jubilee. Because this happened gradually, it was not too disruptive to the College, but one lay faculty member was heard to observe that he never realized nuns came in so many different sizes and shapes!"

— Sister Catherine Therese Knoop, CSJ

"During this era of student demonstrations, Mount St. Mary's College remained peaceful, although a demonstration did occur on December 1, 1969. Protesting the exclusive use of the Carousel Room by the faculty and the practice of faculty and seniors getting precedence in the cafeteria line, students marched through the residence halls and around the circle to the President's office where they staged a sit-in. Students did work actively for the end of the Vietnam War through four separate peace committees on campus."

— The History of Mount St. Mary's College 1925 – 1975

Did You Know?

Oregon Governor Tom McCall declared himself a candidate for the presidency in the Chalon campus circle during the fall of 1968.

The College switched from the semester to the tri-term calendar in 1967 and then to the semester-interterm system in 1973.

In 1973 the College initiated internship programs. The first internships were sponsored by the business department and took place at Brentwood Savings in Los Angeles, where seniors Kyung Ahn and Kathleen Tornatore learned about marketing, accounting, and loan policies.

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Learning and Leading 1975-1985

MARGARET Thatcher became the Prime Minister of Great Britain; Sandra Day O'Connor became the first woman justice on the Supreme Court; and Sally Ride became the first woman in space. As women came to new prominence and new positions of power, Mount St. Mary's continued to educate women leaders. In the forefront was Sister Magdalen Coughlin, inaugurated as president in 1976. She built the College into a national model for multicultural education, and increased the endowment from $500,000 to nearly $20 million during her presidency.

"In the springtime, something magical happened to the Doheny campus. Flowers were everywhere, the gates were open longer and people lingered to enjoy the atmosphere. Sister Laurentia would take her Christian Fantasy class outside to sit under the trees. At the beginning of class, she would give each of us a natural object like a stone or a leaf and we would meditate."

— **Maria Molina Fazio '81**

"My favorite memory is the bicentennial celebration. We had a parade with a marching band and floats built by every class. Our Doheny float won first prize. After the parade there was a festival with booths selling food, crafts, and bicentennial souvenirs. On Sunday, Mass began at the flagpole with readings from the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution."

— **Alicia Andujo '79**

"When the Model United Nations (MUN) delegation decided to raise money to go to New York for the program, I don't think any of us realized how much it would take to get there. We did everything we could think of: bake sales, a male 'beauty contest,' sending crews of students to clean professors' homes! Our efforts were successful, and we made it to New York with our advisor, Dr. Jack Rubensaal. The hotel where we were staying caught fire and we had to evacuate.

Child Development Center pre-schoolers romp at Doheny.

Nonetheless, we had a very productive and memorable week representing Bahrain."

— **Stephanie Little '83**

Did You Know?

The College did not receive title to the west side of Chester Place until July 1, 1976. The original agreement called for the property to be deeded to Mount St. Mary's in segments.

In the mid-seventies, the Chalon campus was protected by two watch dogs, Zac and Zelda. Zelda, who enjoyed fetching pieces of garden hose, was usually on duty in the library with her friend, the librarian, Sister Conrad Schnerck, CSJ.

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"The Mount on Friday nights was like no other place on the planet as we all got ready for our dates. We ran up and down the dorm halls in our high heels and underwear, knocking on doors as we borrowed skirts, blouses, and jewelry from each other. Perfume and a very high level of nervous energy filled the air. We could run around like that because male visitors were not allowed on our floors. . . !

"My class was the first to participate in the Honors Program, and my advisors worked with me for over a year on at least six drafts of my thesis: *Dostoyevsky and Kierkegaard: Parallels in Christian Existentialism.*"

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— Carmen Esquer '95

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The best time to eat lunch on campus is Wednesday — Hamburger Day!

Attire for class is usually sweats or jeans and a t-shirt. Women in skirts are giving oral reports.

Graduates from the booming Weekend College include a 61-year-old physician who always wanted to get a liberal arts degree, and a grandmother who has continued in the master's program in religious studies at Doheny. A flight attendant, currently enrolled in the program, commutes from Alaska.

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This annual report issue is coming to you later in the year than usual, and we apologize for the delay. It is attributable, in part, to a number of changes in the Institutional Advancement office.

We are sorry not to include the names of our more recent donors in this publication, but the annual fund year reported here runs from July 1, 1993 to June 30, 1994. All gifts received after July 1, 1994 will be acknowledged in the next Honor Roll. Please be assured that your support means a great deal to all of us at Mount St. Mary's College.

The Institutional Advancement staff have worked hard to avoid errors and omissions. With a report of this kind, however, mistakes can and do occur. We apologize for any oversight or errors and would appreciate being informed of such mistakes.

Classics

'31 **Rose Alice Wills Smith** is living a full and happy life in West Los Angeles.

'33 While touring Washington and Idaho with her husband, **Helena Geier Keefe** conducted research on plant life in the Pacific Northwest for her articles on nature's gardens.

'36 **Mary Learnihan LaBonge** feels fortunate that she is able to get together with some of her college friends.

'46 **Patricia O'Neill Fiedler** is the proud grandmother of 18 grandchildren.

'48 **Marney Connelly Brady** and her husband enjoyed a fabulous trip to China.

'48 After a year and a half in Blue Jay, **Pat Becker O'Brien** is leaving the mountains to take up residence at Newport Coast, in Orange County. She looks forward to being involved with alumnae in the area.

'51 **Rose Marie Bachand Thomas** enjoyed an adventuresome month-long trip through Missouri, New Mexico, and Arizona.

'51 Retired after 37 years of elementary teaching, **Frances Formaneck Gagliardi** visited her maternal roots in Nova Scotia, and will go on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land before revisiting Rome for the first time in 40 years.

'51 **Rosemary Schuler Dvorak** enjoyed her first Canadian Christmas while attending her daughter's wedding.

'51 **Margaret Delavigne Porter** and her husband spend as much time as possible at their condo in San Simeon, CA.

'52 For the past five years, **Marianna Bauer Molenda** has been employed by the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture under the USDA. She speaks with farmers and ranchers, collecting statistical information.

'53 **Lillian Pereyra** and her colleague are in the process of completing negotiations with the Oregon Historical Society Press for the publication of their work, *The History of the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon*, which will coincide with the sesquicentennial of the founding of the archdiocese.

'53 **Mary Weidinger Young** enjoys participating in the Mount Volunteer Program (MVP) and working with the admissions office.

'54 **Georga Grupe** enjoyed her 40th college reunion and seeing her many friends.

'54 **Justine Weiher** retired from JPL and took a cruise to Mexico with **Lillian Pereyra** '53.

'55 **Mary Ellen Breen Rowe** is teaching third grade at one of eight schools in her district that is on a year-round schedule.

'55 **Georgia Maloney Belardi** continues her work at Horizon High School, a juvenile court school with the Orange County Department of Education.

'55 **Patricia Sanders Fontes** retired from teaching after 18 years at Our Lady of Guadalupe School and from the Mesa Union School District Board of Trustees after 17 years. She will continue to act as a grant consultant to both, and plans to explore her family geneology and do more traveling.

'56 **Barbara Lee Upson** has retired after 24 years as a school nurse for the Hawthorne School District.

'56 **Patricia James Johnson** and her husband were given a surprise 40th wedding anniversary party by their six children.

'56 **Marlene Huhn Farrell** is working on a W.K. Kellogg funded project, The Center for International Nursing Education, doing consultations in Southern Africa and Latin America. She also has become a grandmother for the first time.

'58 **Marilyn Walters** began a new job as R.N. case manager at Pima Health Systems with responsibility for clients in adult foster care who are on the "Arizona Long Term Care" Program.

'59 **Dorothy Schaefer Steege** represented the Garden Grove Education Association both at the NEA Convention in New Orleans and at the CTA's Political Institute in San Diego. She also enjoyed a vacation in Cancun and her 35th college reunion.

'60 **Judy Scherb Skraba** feels blessed to have experienced the quality education provided by MSMC, and is very proud of the wonderful programs currently being offered.

'61 **Betty Jordan Zarcone** and some former MSMC classmates met at Holy Cross Cemetery to pay their final respects to fellow alumna '61 **Maggie Albers Wilke**.

'61 Recently **Linda Cox Stellern** became a grandmother for the first time. In addition, she and her husband purchased a condo on the island of Maui.

'62 **Mary Fisher Pickerell** continues to work in her business, sing with a choir, garden, and travel.

'62 Since the January earthquake, **Marianne Kainz** has helped to relocate staff at the OV-UCLA Medical Center to a temporary workspace while the center is retro-fitted.

'63 **Karyl Donovan Iannone** and her husband have become the proud grandparents of two little girls.

'63 For the past twelve years, **Nance Slattery** has been employed at Kaiser as an Employee Assistance Counselor at Sunset and West Los Angeles Medical Centers. She has also rekindled many friendships since her 30th MSMC reunion last year.

'63 **Bernice Fijak Lynch-Bajada** took some time off from her practice as a psychotherapist and traveled with her husband through central Europe and Poland.

'64 **Christine Reising** was named Assistant Principal of the Year by the Oregon Association of Secondary School Administrators.

'64 In addition to flying her Cherokee single engine airplane hither and yon, **Cecelia Schmahl Stratford** is active with the Southern California Wing of the Confederate Air Force, a group dedicated to preserving the history of World War II aircraft. She helps with the museum and in restoration and maintenance of C-46 cargo, B-25 bomber, and SN-J trainer aircraft. She is also active in scholarship programs with the San Fernando Valley 99's—women pilots.

'65 **Eileen Murphy Bigelow** and her husband recently returned from visiting their son in London.

'65 **Camilla Tortoreto Rowe** spent last summer at Princeton University on a Woodrow Wilson Fellowship in American history. In addition, she was named the 1994 Outstanding Middle School Teacher by the greater Albuquerque Chamber of Commerce.

'65 **Margaret Matta Naluai** retired after teaching 29 years, the first two with LAUSD and the last 27 in

Sister Karen at a gathering to honor the Mount's Golden Grads: L to R, seated, are Esther Elder Harrington '41, Rosemary Johnson Stewart '41, Marie Teresi Preisler '41. Standing, Peggy Matthews Weatherhead '41, Sister Karen Kennelly, Margaret McCannell Rendler '41, and Hortencia Garcia, a sophomore member of the Deltas, Doheny's student service sorority.

Hawaii. Her classroom experience involved her with kindergarten, first, second, and sixth grades. She and her husband have a thriving Amway business; she is proud of providing mothers with work they can do in their homes.

'66 Having completed a Lactation Educator Certificate Program at UCLA, **Christine Callahan Taugher** now enjoys working with new parents and assists mothers with breastfeeding.

'66 **Elizabeth Clark Stevens** completed her master's program in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages from the United States International University in Irvine, CA.

'67 **Suzanne Kiechle** was honored at the White House by President Clinton as a 1994 Distinguished Teacher. She is also a private voice teacher.

'67 **Elaine Ziegler Hagedorn** keeps busy as a homemaker and mother and travels with her husband on business whenever possible.

'67 **Patricia Crean MacDonald** received a master's from Hamline University in May 1994, then traveled to Paris for the meeting of the F. Scott Fitzgerald International Society. She has become good friends with a fellow Mount alumna in Minneapolis, **Ann Kilgore Reay** '65.

'68 **Susana Hernandez Araico** spent last spring semester as a visiting professor at the UCI graduate program in Spanish and working on a research grant at Cal Poly State University. She was also a consultant in a NEH grant awarded for a Conference at UCLA Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies and the director of a Spanish immersion program sponsored by Cal Poly in Ensenada.

'69 **Carroll McHugh Brittain** and her sister work at Village Oaks Surety and Insurance in Covina, CA.

'70 **Barbara Rice Waterkotte** was promoted by America West Airlines and is now responsible for all mailings to their frequent flyers. She is also very active in Scouts and band boosters.

'72 In her third year as director of choral activities at Loyola Marymount University, **Mary Breden** is also the chair of the university's department of music. She continues as president of the Western Division of the American Choral Directors Association.

'73 In addition to attending the statewide nursing program for a master's degree, **Mary Corty O'Connor** is employed at Anaheim Memorial Hospital as a critical care clinical educator.

'73 **Karen Schiada Barnes** finished her master's of science degree in counseling at CSU Long Beach and loves her job as a full-time high school counselor at St. Joseph High School in Lakewood, CA. She recently celebrated her 20th wedding anniversary.

'74 **Kristine Klumph Bounds** had a lot of fun at her 20th reunion, but hopes that the 25th brings out more of the class.

'76 Having remarried, **Maureen McCoy Barich** now resides with her new family in Redlands, CA.

'77 **Jennifer Marik** continues to work at UCLA as the clinical nurse specialist in the area of pediatric renal transplantation. She uses her expertise to help other medical facilities develop their pediatric renal transplant programs.

'78 Since 1985, **Sister Carmen Maldonado** has been professed as a Missionary Sister of Saint Columban and assigned to their mission in Chile.

'78 While recovering from hip surgery, **Karen Darling Ward** still keeps busy with her business.

'79 Having relocated to northern California, **Mary McAlea** has found part-time employment in a professional capacity, which allows her time to spend with her children and to become involved with the school board and other community activities.

'79 The 4th editions of *Davis's Drug Guide for Nurses* and *Nurse's Med Desk*, both written by J.H. Deglin and **April Hazard Vallerand**, were published in July 1994.

'80 Having accepted a promotion to Director of Patient/Family Care at Hospice of Hillsborough, FL, **Roxanne Moore Meier** is working on a master's of divinity degree at Unity-Progressive Theological Seminary.

'82 **Susan Haselton Haas** has been elected a board member and treasurer of the YMCA of the Harbor area.

'82 **Lo-Gina Ramos House** and her family thoroughly enjoyed visiting fellow MSMC alum '82 **Sharon Jones Drake** and her family.

'84 **Jean Streuber Bushnell** and her husband are back from Europe, where they were treated to Hungarian and Austrian hospitality by friends and family of their son's girlfriend.

'84 **Barbara Heim Bridge** participated in an alumnae concert in the Pompeian Room at the Doheny Mansion.

'84 **Bertha Diaz Somoano** is enjoying her two children and works part-time as a staff emergency room nurse at Downey Community Hospital.

'86 Having received her RNC certification for inpatient obstetrics, **Diana Campa Limon** has accepted a position as clinical educator in maternal/child health at Kaiser Permanente in Panorama City, CA.

'86 **Michele Gustavino Staeck** has worked as a pediatric physical therapist for California Children Services in Los Angeles County for eight years.

'86 **Linda Johnson Moran** is working as a nurse practitioner in San Diego while her husband is in the navy.

'86 **Alice Johnson** is involved in home health care in the West San Fernando Valley.

'87 **Cindy Barreda McCann** is married to a "great guy," working hard, and raising a family.

'88 In June 1994, **Suzan Danger** graduated summa cum laude from CSU at San Bernadino, receiving her master's of science degree in counseling.

'89 **Michele** Anne Benson has been promoted to math department chairperson at Bishop Montgomery High School. She continues to work on obtaining a master's degree in math at CSU Long Beach.

'92 In addition to working towards her master's degree in counseling at CSU San Diego, **Trudi Morgan Saltamachio** is employed at The Academy Of Our Lady of Peace High School as an English teacher and soccer coach.

'93 **Miriana Martinova** has worked as a program coordinator at the development office of the American University in Bulgaria. Now she is doing graduate work at the business school at Georgetown University.

'94 **Erica Jager** is the speech coach and full time English teacher at her alma mater, Presentation High School in San Jose. She will be returning to school next fall to earn a master's in English.

Two by two

The members of the Alumnae Association extend best wishes to the following alumnae and their spouses:
'59 Sandra Nolan Graham to Robert Rush
'67 Rose Marie Whaley to Dr. Roger Tashima
'80 Barbara R. Mickens to William R. Washington
'81 Julie Curo to Adrian Loera
'86 Linda Johnson to Lt. Terry Moran, USN
'86 Kathleen Schubert to Mark Ahlbom
'92 Ann-Marie White to Jayson Medeiros
'94 Dana L. Bergman to Robert Z. Confair
'94 Heidi Hurskainen to Matthew Robertson
'94 Keri A. O'Shaughnessey to Michael F. Linardi

By-Lines

The members of the Alumnae Association extend congratulations to the following alumnae and their spouses on the birth of their children:
'78 Robert Lucas to Linda Peich Broyles, 2nd child, 2nd son
'78 Peter John to Mary Jo Higson White, 4th child, 4th son
'80 David Jason to E. Paige Sexton Barrett, 3rd child, 1st son
'80 Devin Joshua to Gloria Stoner Lurie, 1st child
'80 Dylan to Deborah Quick Zavaleta, 3rd child, 2nd son
'81 Teresa Alena to Julie Curo Loera, 1st child
'81 Kathleen Mary adopted by JoAnna Visosky McGeoghegan, 1st child
'82 Andrew Stephen to Esther Castellanos Aguirre, 2nd child, 1st son
'82 Jennifer Ann to Kathleen Bercaw Aldous
'83 Matthew to Anita Kovacic Sumen, 1st child
'84 Louise Marie to Emelyn Arguelles Judge, 1st child
'86 Garret to Michele Gustavino Staeck, 2nd child, 2nd son
'87 Brianna Marie to Michelle Frontino Guidry, 1st child
'87 Gayne Anne to Gayne Pinto Kalustian, 3rd child, 2nd daughter
'87 Megan C. Nicole to Cynthia Barreda McCann, 2nd child, 1st daughter
'87 W. Connor to Patricia Ahmanson McCord
'87 Tim to Julie Orsi Reynolds, 1st child

Requiescant

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of:
'30 Mary Elizabeth Lamb LaFleur
'32 Mary Malone
'32 husband of Helen Shubert Millet
'37 Elizabeth Young

Alma Mater et Almae Filiae

We call the college or university from which we graduate our "alma mater". . . "fair mother." While working on the phonathon, calling other Mount graduates to ask for their annual pledges to support the College, it struck me that we alumnae are "almae filiae" — "fair daughters"— with a relationship to our alma mater not unlike that with our biological mothers.

Somewhere in the timeline of our mother-daughter experience a shift occurs when as daughters, we begin to take on a sense of responsibility for our mothers. We want to enhance their lives as they have enhanced ours.

As I spoke with many alums, I heard a wide variety of responses to the request for participation in the annual fund, everything from a hearty greeting and enthusiastic commitment to stolid rejection—and sometimes almost angry refusals to donate. It struck me that, rather like in many mother-daughter relationships, there was something unexamined and unresolved in the reluctance of some to be supportive of their alma mater.

During the phonathon the alums and students who were calling reached slightly more than half the alumnae. I would like to ask everyone who hasn't pledged to consider becoming part of the almae filiae who are giving nurture to their alma mater, as it was once given to them. Some of us can even call upon grandmotherly instincts as we seek to provide for the young women of today the same opportunities for a top-notch education in a splendidly challenging environment that we enjoyed.

Giving to Mount St. Mary's College, whether it be a donation of $5 or $5000, is one way of continuing to "take care of mother." It is critically important to keep our level of participation up, because foundations and corporations take seriously how much alums show their belief in the value of their education by continuing to support the institution which provided that education. It is also a way of showing a generosity of spirit toward the young women whose lives are so deeply affected by the time they spend with their, and our, alma mater.

Milania Austin Henley '54
Fund Drive Chairman, 1994-95

An MSMC All-Star

"It makes me feel good to help others achieve and get ahead," says Sharon Lisle Writer '61.

This attitude has prompted Writer to donate her time to the Mount Volunteer Program (MVP). She recently represented the College at two college fairs, greeted prospective students at admissions events, and gave the keynote address to students and parents at "An Afternoon at the Mount" last fall. "I want to give back to the College," she says. "And I want to encourage young women interested in science and math."

Writer also volunteers for the Assistance League of Orange County, a philanthropic organization comprised of working and non-working women that strives to meet the needs of the community. Through the League, she is involved with "School Bell," a program that provides homeless or indigent children with clothing, sundries, and school supplies.

A middle school science and math teacher for 13 years, Writer is currently a high school chemistry teacher. She is advisor of the science club, where she has sponsored a Science Olympiad team for the past seven years. Several of her students have competed at the state competition and one was a junior sweepstakes winner. "When I first tell the students about the competition, they don't think they'll be able to do it," she remarks. "It's satisfying for me and for them when they accomplish the task and do an outstanding job."

Writer was an exceptional chemistry student at St. Mary's Academy. She won a science fair, which was held at the Mount, and was awarded a four-year academic scholarship to MSMC. As a Mount student, she was president of the science/math club; social chair for Gamma Sigma Phi sorority; and chair of the swim show. "Mount St. Mary's developed my ability to be a leader," she remembers. "I was taught to get involved — not to just sit back and let others do all the work."

Writer credits the extra encouragement from Mount faculty and staff for developing her commitment to community service. "My Mount St. Mary's education gave me so much and brought me so far," adds Writer. "I feel I have the responsibility to return some of the support that I was given."

Sharon Lisle Writer '61

The Mount Volunteer Program (MVP)

- Over 100 alumnae throughout California, Arizona, Hawaii, Guam, and New Mexico are involved with the MVP, which was launched in 1993.
- Volunteers can assist in a wide variety of ways, from answering questions from applicants over the phone to hosting events for prospective Mount students in their areas.
- There is an annual training session held each fall for MVP volunteers.

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'67 son of Linda Robson Murrow
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'86 father of Sighle Lancaster
'87 mother of Pamela Ybarra Cressman
'87 mother of Julie Orsi Reynolds

They will be remembered in the Masses, prayers and good works of the Sisters of St. Joseph.

The Reading Room

Welcome to the Reading Room, a new feature of the Mount St. Mary's College Magazine. *If you have recently read something you'd like to recommend, simply send a note or call with the title and author, and a sentence or two describing what you liked about the book.*

"The book that has been most restful to the soul this past year: *Sweet and Bitter Bark: Selected Poems of Robert Frost*. The poems are paired with artwork from the same period—mostly French and American Impressionists, Fauves, and Modernists.

My favorite recently-read biography: Jill Kerr Conway's *True North*. I enjoyed her account of growing up in Australia, *The Road from Coorain*, and was again delighted by this story of her mature years in the U.S. and Canada.

And as a lover of good stories, I can enthusiastically recommend Maeve Binchey's *Glass Lake*. I've read all of her books and can hardly wait for the next. I can practically give names to her characters from the rural Minnesota town where I grew up!

I've had Elizabeth Johnson's *She Who Is: The Mystery of God in Feminist Theological Discourse* on my shelf for several months—it is next on the agenda."

— *Sister Karen M. Kennelly,* MSMC President

"I find myself following the path of my students' interests. They are currently teaching me, leading me through the rituals, symbolism, and deep memory of novels like these:

All three by Barbara Kingsolver —*The Bean Trees, Pigs in Heaven*, and *Animal Dreams*; and *Yellow Raft in Blue Water*, by Michael Dorris."

— *Sister Mary Williams,* Chair, MSMC English Department

"Several especially good reads: *Genius: the Life and Science of Richard Feynman* by James Gleick; Peter Hoag's *Smilla's Sense of Snow*; and Daniel Boorstin's *Cleopatra's Nose: Essays on the Unexpected.*"

— *Father George O'Brien,* MSMC English Department

"If you haven't yet read *The Shipping News*, by E. Annie Proulx, do. The only difficulty is that it is such a wonderful book that now, nothing else I read, however much I love it, seems to compare."

— *Doug Dutton*, proprietor of Dutton's Brentwood Bookstore and husband of Penny Dutton '89

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A Little Planning Can Make a Big Difference!

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You may be worth more than you think. At least that's what many people discover when they take time to add up their assets. Retirement funds have grown, real estate values have increased, investments have multiplied, insurance policies have expanded, things of value have accumulated over the years.

Have you checked your financial worth lately? Chances are you'll be surprised. If you find yourself above the $600,000 level, another surprise may confront you — the high estate taxes due after death.

A little planning can make a big difference. For example, did you know that you can actually redirect money that is headed for Uncle Sam by earmarking it to a charity of your choice? Did you know that estate gifts to qualified charities are 100 percent deductible?

Gift and estate planning are well worth the investment of your time — even if your estate is modest and taxes are not an issue. Planning allows YOU, not the government, to make the decisions about your estate.

You could start by contacting me in the planned giving office. There are a number of gift-planning options I can discuss with you; also, there are helpful brochures on estate planning, wills, trusts, gift annuities, life insurance policies, and retirement plans that can be mailed to you.

Most importantly, you are strongly urged to find a good estate planning attorney and make an appointment soon. Do it now while you are healthy and mentally sharp. Not only will you benefit from prudent planning, you will also be surprised at how good you feel taking care of a crucial area of your life while giving to your favorite charity.

Among the newest members of our Heritage Society: **Corinne Cunningham '51, Mary McCarthy '36** and **Cecelia Schmahl Stratford '64** have named MSMC in their trusts; **Jane Delahanty '65** has made MSMC the beneficiary of an insurance policy; five alums who wish to remain anonymous have made MSMC the beneficiary of a trust or will; and **Edna Lillich Davidson**, whose endowed scholarship fund now qualifies her for membership. We are grateful to all of these friends. Our Heritage Society members now number 124 and we are aiming for 150 by June 30th.

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Save the Date

MAY

Saturday, May 20
Las Angeles Chamber Singers
8:00 p.m.
Mary Chapel, Chalan

Saturday, May 27
African American Alumnae Network Meeting
11:30 - 1:00 p.m.
Ahmansan Cammans, Doheny*

JUNE

Tuesday, June 13
Day at Descansa
10:30 a.m.

The Alumnae Association gathers for lunch and a tour of these picturesque gardens.*

Saturday, June 17
Disney's Beauty and the Beast
2:00 p.m.
Shubert Theater

Join MSMC alumnae at a matinee of this charming Broadway adaptation of the hit movie.*

Saturday, June 24
Contemplative Practice of Consecrating the Ordinary
9:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Lecture Hall, Daheny

Father Luke Dysinger, OSB leads a workshop exploring the sources and practice of two traditional forms of Christian contemplative prayer: lectivo divina, and the art of psalmody. Call Sister Thomas Bernard at the Program in the Spiritual Life, (213) 746-0450 for information.

AUGUST

Saturday, August 5
Celebration to honor the 45th anniversary of MSMC's first African American graduate
Seminars 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Tribute Dinner 5:00 p.m.
Daheny*

Friday, August 18 – Sunday, August 20
Smart Badies an the Chalan Campus

Treat yourself to a weekend on a peaceful mountaintop. Learn new ways to manage stress, tips on nutrition, exercise habits and more; $165 for the weekend (includes lodging, meals, all sessions, Hollywood Bowl tickets, and transportation).*

Saturday, August 19
8:00 p.m.
Alumnae at the Bawl

Tickets are $14.*

* Call the alumnae office at (310) 471-9522 for information.